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State of California
Energy Resources Conservation and
Development Commission

In the matter of :)	Docket No. 01-AFC-04
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)	Motion To Postpone Special
Application For Certification)	Business Meeting On
East Altamont Energy Center)	June 11, 2003 To Consider
)	Adoption Of RPMPD For
)	The EAEC

On June 3, 2003, the Committee for the EAEC held a conference to discuss the changes made to the PMPD. Several agencies appeared to express concerns in the area of Worker Safety and Fire Protection, Water Resources, and Air Quality. In addition the record was reopened to accommodate new evidence. While the meeting was held to simply review the changes proposed by the RPMPD several substantive issues were introduced and appear to remain unresolved. It was also established that the applicant did not have site control over the recycled water a key component of the environmental review of this project and a condition of approval by several government agencies most notably the NMFS

and US Fish and Wildlife Service. The committee expressed a desire to incorporate these concerns into the RPMPD. The committee also extended the comment period for some agencies until Thursday June 5, 2003. CEQA requires adequate time for public review of substantive changes to the final environmental document. It is unlikely that the final version of the conditions of certification will be made available in time for the business meeting on June 11, 2003, much less provide the public adequate time to review the changes that must be made to the final decision. Intervenor moves that the business meeting be rescheduled to allow adequate time for the public to review the substantive changes that must be made to the decision.

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